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SUBJECT

The Czechoslovak Government has appointed Engineer Cestmir Simáně as head of the new atomic pile in Bohemia. Simáně is now on a secret mission in the USSR, together with several other Czechoslovak atomic experts. Before being appointed to his present post Simáně was the head of the Scientific and Experimental Intelligence Service. In this post he succeeded in obtaining valuable information about the trials made in the production of aluminum by the Demerara Bauxite Company in South America / British Guiana /.

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